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HAPPINESS cannot be purchased. It is within the grasp of every one and can be secured for the asking. Submitting to that which cannot be helped, and stifling complaints as they rise to the lips are the surest ways of proresting in the aromatic flavors of the sweetest flowers even during the dreariest hours of a bleak winter.

IT is announced that Hon. GEORGE L KNOX, proprietor of the Indianapolis. Ind., FREEMAN will announce himself as an independent Republican candidate for congress this fall.

This means that inasmuch as he will

If he win, his district will be well

This is a peculiar government in way that is as thoroughly inconsistent the men for a year, and when they met last evening they lost no time in get-

saving of colored people's money.

of dollars were collected and squandered, and finally the bank failed.

brother) was duped. The United States Government promptly disclaimed all responsibility for the losses, but an agent of the government was designated to wind up the offairs of the

It only required something over one million dollars to pay up the robbed depositors in full. The moral responsibility of this great nation was not de nied, while its technical irresponsibility was freely admitted.

But one president, so far as we are nformed has had the temerity and the jury, which pronounced her insane. ly in his message, and recommended in unmistakable language the appro
nyiation asked for That were a few forms of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address on receipt of the governor at Kingston that the sent to any address of the governor at Kingston that the sen priation asked for. That man was GROVER CLEVELAND, a democrat great er than his party and at present living in well-earned retirement within the beautiful confines of the city of Prince-ISAAC H. LOFTON, colored, was ap-

pointed postmaster at Hogansville,

On a dark night, a band of cowardly assassins fired, wounding him is the shoulder, and he narrowly escaped

The patrons of the office set up a boycott of the office to reduce his salary and to starve him out.

Mr. Lorrin refused to be relieved or starved out, and to-day with an intrepidity and bravery, which is marvelous, he continues to do business "at the same old stand." His would-be murderers have not been apprehended, No company of soldiers have been ordered from the far North-west to protect him. No appropriation has been either suffering family or himself. On this the president of the United States to escaped.

Congress is as silent as the grave.

instantly killed.

its brains bespattered over the person of that saintly form who had so often lulled it to sleep and three of the other children were horribly wounded. Rewards were offered by the national overnment for the murderers and the lends who perpetrated the outrage

Up to this writing, President McKIN-LEY has made no recommendation for an appropriation of either twenty-five or fifty thousand dollars for the family

of this murdered official.
Condolences and empty expression abound, but material help is not offered and around and about Washington all talk of the relief of this man's fam ily has been suspended.

Haiti was imprisoned by the latter government for thirty days an indem nity of twenty-five thousand dollars in gold was demanded by the German Consul-General and enforced at the DO YOU LOYE Health? mouth of a cannon.

When Consul-General LEE reported that American citizens in Cuba were suffering Congress voted at once an appropriation of fifty thousand dollars. This was so much that the Consul-General could not find a way to spend it, and asked permission to establish an orphanage in a foreign island in an-

Mark you, those so-called Americans in Cusa were naturalized, and could not speak a word of English, and many of them possibly have never seen the shores of this country.

When an appropriation of fifty million dollars was asked for to satisfy public clamor and to enable us to interfere within the confines of the territory of a friendly power, Democrat and Republicans, Populists and Silver-

The conscience of the nation must longing life, inviting sunshine and think we see in the reddenning west across which have been written in lurid characters the symbolic character war, a harbinger of hope,-the seven colors of the rainbow of promise, which tell us that other times will come and with it the recognition of "the brother in black" whose appeals for justice have gone so long unanswered.

A TEXAS STREET DUEL.

not be able to obtain the regular nomination from his party in his district, on account of his color, that he will test the temper of his constituents at the polls.

The Principals Dying and ThreeOthers Wounded by Stray Bullets.

Waco, Tex., April 2.—W. C. Brann, editor of The Iconoclast, and Captain M. T. Davis met and fought a revolver the polls. duel last evening. The men met on South Fourth street in front of the Cotton Belt ticket office, and after ex-changing a few words began firing. THIS GOVERNMENT'S PEOULIARI
TIES.

When the battle was over Brann was found to be shot in the left lung and in both feet. Davis was shot through the right lung and through both arms. The surgeons say both men are likely to want at popular prices.

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which we live. It acts at times in a Trouble has been existing between About a quarter of a century ago, it permitted a body of men, with the appearance of the permitted a body of men, with the parent sanction of itself to establish lay bleeding and W. H. Ward, Brann throughout the country offices for the right hand, the bones being shattered. aving of colored people's money.

A wild built hit Motorman Kennedy in the knee. Another wild built hit Freedmen's Savings Bank. Thousands Eugene Kepler in the foot. Kepler and his partner, Prince, are touring the world on a wager and had just reached Waco. Brann, who is too weak to talk The confiding public, (the colored is probably past surgery, although the rother) was duped. The United doctors say there is some slight chance Longer of Black Skin, for him. Captain Davis was taken to the Pacific hotel, and is regarded as mortally wounded, his right lung being

ing internally and are faint.

GENERAL SOUTHERN NEWS.

Memphis, April 1.—Alice Mitchell, the young woman who a few years ago created a sensation by cutting the throat of Freda Ward, an intimate friend, died yesterday in the state asylum at Bolivar, Tenn., where she had been confined items, the trial to be a confined items to the trial to the state asylum at Bolivar, Tenn., where she had been confined items to the trial to the trial to the state asylum at Bolivar, Tenn., where she trial that is the state asylum at Bolivar, Tenn., where she trial that is the state asylum at Bolivar, Tenn., where she trial that is the state asylum at Bolivar, Tenn., where she trial that is the skin beautiful. Any person using it can see the result in forty-eight hours.

It does not turn the skin in spots but bleaches out white. It is a very good thing for weak eyes if allowed to get in the eye while washing the face. One box of this powder is all that is asylum at Bolivar, Tenn., where she had been confined since the trial by jury, which pronounced her insane.

The prison use, and is perfectly harmless.

was to have been hanged toady a Macon, be commuted to imprisonme for life. The governor has postpon dorse the finding of the commissi Campbellsville, Ky., April 2.-A boile explosion four miles north of town

illed four men outright and fatally injured another. The dead are Thomas Ratcliffe, Doc Wright, Clarence Ratcliffe and Thomas Newcomb. Elma Ratcliff was scalded, and will die. The boller, engine and shingle mill were demolished. Low water in the boiler caused the accident. Richmond, April 4.-Mrs. Jefferson Davis has sent to the ladies of the Con-

federate Museum the set of furnitur-used by her and President Davis dur ing their occupancy of the building as the White House of the Confederacy This will be placed in what was the president's chamber, which is now the South Carolina room. It was in this room that Winnie Davis was born. Tallulah Falls, Ga., April 4.-William Godfrey, postmaster at this place, was shot and fatally wounded Saturday night by Alfred Dyer. According to

Godfrey's ante-mortem statement Dye

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